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In re the Application of: YOSHIMURA, et al.

Group Art Unit: 1775

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Examiner: SPERTY

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For: PROCESS FOR FORMING METAL LAYER ON SURFACE OF RESIN MOLDED

PRODUCT

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 25, 2003

Sir:

Prior to continued examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: